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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: A. Vo
TETSUYA OHASHI ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2861
Appln. No.: 09/990,369)	
	:	Allowed: December 19, 2003
Filed: November 23, 2001)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2052
For: LIQUID EJECTION HEAD AND)	
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING	:	
THE LIQUID EJECTION METHOD)	March 19, 2004

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Commissioner for Patents
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LETTER CALLING ATTENTION TO ERROR IN NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of a Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due and a Notice of Allowability dated December 19, 2003 in the above-identified application.

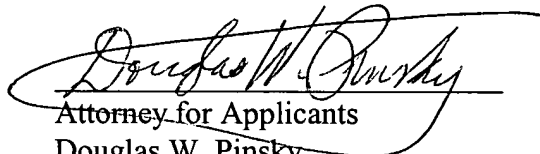
Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to an error in the Notice of Allowability. Specifically, the allowed claims are incorrectly listed as "11-24" on the Notice of Allowability summary sheet. In fact, the allowed claims are Claims 1-24, as indicated in the Reasons for Allowance (page 2 of the Notice). It is noted that this application was allowed as originally filed, and the originally filed claims are Claims 1-24.

Applicants filed a Request for Corrected Notice of Allowability on January 21, 2004 in order to resolve this matter, but have not received any response to that Request. Since the Issue Fee is being paid concurrently herewith, Applicants again wish to point out this error.

Applicants respectfully request that the necessary steps be taken to ensure that Claims 1-24 are correctly printed in the issued patent. In addition, issuance of a corrected Notice of Allowability correctly indicating the allowed claims is respectfully requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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